

Detailed below are the incident statistics relating to Milton Keynes Council Employees for the fourth quarter of 1999 - 1 October to 31 December 1999 (these figures are provisional and could increase due to incident reports forthcoming in the month of January 2000)

1) General Information

Approximate number of persons employed	5800
Total number of incidents reported to Health and Safety this quarter	179
Quarterly incident rate (incidents per 1000 employees)	31
Total number of incidents reported to Health and Safety Executive (HSE)	7
Incidents reported to HSE are detailed below:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Dislocated shoulder whilst attempting to climb a locked gate, having been accidentally locked in. (ENV, DSO) 2) Strained back after lifting a heavy object. (ENV, Regulatory Services, Environmental Health) 3) Sprain to knee - injury was a result of another vehicle pulling out in front of the vehicle being travelled in. (NS, Other NS Services - Adult Care) 4) Fracture to left humerus after slipping and falling over while walking. (L&D Education Schools Direct Support) 5) Lacerations to back of head after tripping on a stool and falling backwards towards the floor (L&D, Education Schools Direct Support) 6) Fracture to arm after tripping over an object on the floor (L&D, Education Schools Direct Support) 7) Dislocation of the shoulder whilst helping to dress a client (NS, Other NS Services - Adult Care) 	
Lost time incidents	20
Number of incidents resulting in time off work.	
Working days lost (Estimated)	44
The number of days estimated does not include the day of the incident.	

2) Incidents by Directorate

DIRECTORATE	TOTAL	%
ENVIRONMENT	24	14
LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT	92	51
RESOURCES	6	3
NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES	57	32
TOTAL	179	100

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3) Incidents by Premise

	TOTAL	%
Day Care Centres	26	14
Leisure facilities (libraries, pools etc)	10	6
Civic Offices	12	7
Saxon Court	15	8
Schools and Nurseries (Including special needs)	61	34
Housing Offices	3	2
Synergy Park/Bleak Hall	6	3
Residential Homes for the elderly	0	0
Residential Homes for children	13	7
Youth Centres	2	1
Cripps Lodge	3	2
St Giles House	2	1
Other MKC premises	12	7
Outside areas and Non-MKC premises	14	8
TOTAL	179	100

4) Incident Types

TYPE OF INCIDENT REPORTED	TOTAL	%	ENV	L&D	RES & CEO	NS
1. Contact with moving machinery	0	0	0	0	0	0
2. Struck by moving (including flying or falling) object	14	7	1	13	0	0
3. Struck against something fixed or stationary	15	8	1	10	0	4
4. Injured whilst handling, lifting or carrying	17	9	6	5	2	4
5. Slip, trip or fall on the same level	35	20	10	16	1	8
6. Fall from a height	1	1	0	0	0	1
7. Exposure or contact with a harmful substance	1	1	0	1	0	0
8. Exposure to fire, steam or hot material including hot water	1	1	1	0	0	0
9. Contact with a sharp or similar object	5	3	2	3	0	0
10. Injured whilst travelling in a vehicle	1	1	0	0	0	1
11. Struck by moving vehicle (on site or on a public road)	0	0	0	0	0	0
12. Injury caused by an animal (including insect)	0	0	0	0	0	0
13. Contact with electricity or an electrical discharge	0	0	0	0	0	0
14. Violence and aggression	72	40	0	35	2	35
15. Other type of accident	17	9	3	10	1	3
TOTAL	179	100	24	93	6	56

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5) Incident Causes

CAUSE OF INCIDENT	TOTAL	%	ENV	L&D	RES & CEO	NS
MANAGEMENT DEFICIENCIES						
1. Absence of, failure of or inadequate system of work	19	11	5	8	0	6
2. Absent, defective or unsuitable equipment, guards or working platform.	3	2	1	2	0	0
3. Unsafe workplace or access.	4	2	0	1	1	2
4. Inadequate management organisation or supervision.	3	2	2	0	0	1
5. Lack of or inadequate training, instruction or information.	3	2	1	1	0	1
TOTAL	32	18	9	12	1	10
EMPLOYEE DEFICIENCIES						
6. Reasonable human failing or human error.	56	31	12	36	2	6
7. Failure to use equipment or follow safe procedures, unauthorised activity, or misconduct.	1	1	1	0	0	0
TOTAL	57	32	13	36	2	6
OTHER CAUSES						
8. Adverse weather.	0	0	0	0	0	0
9. Defective design of equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0
10. Unforeseeable event or unknown cause.	90	50	2	44	3	41
TOTAL	90	50	2	44	3	41
OVERALL TOTAL	179	100	24	92	6	57